Ears Looked as if Would Drop Off-**Body Entirely Covered - Face Mass** of Sores-Three Dectors Could Not Cure-Child Grew Worse.

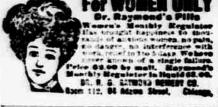
# **CURED BY GUTICURA** IN TWO WEEKS FOR 75c.

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She broke out all over her body with a
humor, and we used everything recomhumor, and we used everything recom-mended, but without results. I called in three doctors, they all claimed they could help her, but she continued to grow worse. Her body was a mass of cores, and her little face was being eaten away; her ears looked as if they would drop off. Neighbors advised me toget Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and before I had used half of the cake of soap and box of ointment the sores had all healed, and my little one's face and body were as clear as a new-born babe's. I would not be without it again if it cost five dollars, instead of seventy-five cents, which is all it cost us to cure our haby, after spending many dollars on doctors and medicines without any benefit whatever."

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## IN THE MORNING A bottle of Bromo Phosphate Counteracts the ill effects of the night before the at all stores.

RONNOCO DAY REASTED COFFEE, 25c NONE PETTER. J P. O'CO RN R. Bell Phones

# COUPLE ELOPE TO SEDALIA. NEWS FROM THE CITY CHURCHES.

Mr. C. C. Arnette and Miss Emma Speed Married at Midnight. BURNING SPECIAL

Sedain, Mo. Dec II.—Mr. C. C. Arnette, a bruther-tr-law of John J. Cumifff, editor of the Schulla Capitol, and Miss Emma speed cloped from Bunceton, Cooper Counafternoon and drove everunal a marriage license and were married at the mildight hour lest night by the Reverend S S. Martin, pastor of the First M E Church. The bride is a member of one of the uest prominent families of Cooper

Currs a Cold Over Sight. Take Dr. Parker's Cascart Quinine Tab.

# FINED FOR FAST DRIVING.

Charged That Ahlborne Endangered Lives of Shoppers.

William Abiberne. Il years old, of No. Sia South Fourth street, was fined \$10 in the First District Police Court yesterday for fast and reckless driving. The fine was imposed by Judge Tracy.

Abiborne was arrested Saturday by Patroliman Gur Moorman of the Central District at Broadway and Locust street. That corner was crowled with shoppers. Moorman says, but Abiborne had no regard for them.

Several women were nearly run down by JUROR NOT EXCUSED

# Missouri University Changes

REPUBLIC SPINIAL. Columbia, Mo., Dec. II - Doctor Frank P. Graves, professor of history and prin-ciples of education in Amenia University, was appointed assistant dean of the acadsinte department to day to serve until next September. Doctor Graves will also he charge of the university daily assemble Doctor Graves will also have Bernice Vance was appointed stu-mistant in the woman's symmatium estant in objections to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of J. M. Riggs. who was named as senior interne at the Purker Memorial Hospital.

Fifty Years the Standard



# SCHOOLS DISCUSSED

Conference of Presbyterian Missionaries Considers Methods of **Keeping Organized Work Alive** -To Hold Institute To-Day.

The necessity of revisiting organised Sunday schools was emphasized at the conference of Presbyterien Sunday-School Missionaries pasterday afternoon. During the discussion it was pointed out that frequently schools established by the missionaries fall into the hands of other denominations because comparatively no attention is given to them once they have been organized. But the revisiting of the school, it was argued should not interferwith establishing schools in new fields.

W. H. Herrich, the St. Louis Sunday school missionary of the church, urged the necessity of building Sunday-school chapels in districts where there is no regulariorganized church.

The conference opened in the afternoof with prayer by the Reverend P. V. Jenness. An address was made by the Reverend Doctor Henry, secretary of the Board of Publication and Sabbath School Work. Doctor Henry, in his paper, particularly referred to the qualifications and training necessary for a successful Sunday-school missionary.

The Reverend E. L. Renick of Springfield, Mo., spoke on "The Sabbath School Missionary Organizing," and Doctor J. E. Junkin of Flat River, Mo., made an address on "The Internal Management of the Sunday School."

The conference will be continued to-day and to-morrow in the Presbyterian Church an institute of Sunday-school teachers and workers will be held under the precidency of the Reverend C. L. Chalfant.

The first part of the session will be devoted to the primary department, after which there will be a discussion of teachers' methods. The session will close with a half hour devoted to pastors and superintendents.

Twenty-five missionaries from Missouri. Arkanass, Kaussa and the two Territories

intendents.

Twenty-five missionaries from Missouri. Arkansas, Kansas and the two Territories are attending the conference. They were present at the meeting of the Presbyterian ministers.

The Presbytery was addressed by Doctor Henry. Several of the missionaries related their experiences in organizing country Sunday schools.

### **BIG CROWD'SEES GROUND** BROKEN FOR NEW EDIFICE.

wmas H. E. Charch Will Build \$30,000 Structure at Grand and Carter Avenues.

Caster Avenues.

The first spadeful of ground for the new Bowman M. E. Church to be built at Grand and Carter avenues was turned yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large gathering by the Reverend L. Hallock, who organized the church in 1879.

The church at that time was known as the Fourteenth Street Mission. Later it was removed to its present location at Twentieth and Obear streets. The congregation has increased so that the Reverend F. W. Simpson, the pastor, impressed the necessity of a new building upon the members with the result that a \$59.800 edifice was begun yesterday.

Lok part in the service and spoke a few Many Methodiet ministers of St. Louis words of greeting. The Reverend Doctor Haggerty, who was once a pastor of the church, made the first address, and he was followed by the Reverend Doctors C. R. Carlos, Curl. Smith and the Reverend J. P. Brewington.

The new building will be 65 by 115 feet. The basement will contain Sunday-school rooms, a large dining-room and a kitchen. The auditorium and lecture-room will occupy the first floor. Mr. Simpson expects to have the building completed by July 1.

MADAY SCHOOL UNION MEETS. Work of the Year Received at Annual

The annual meeting of the Sunday School Union was held at the Cook Avenue M. E. Church, South, Cook and Spring avenues, last night. The attendance was not as large as was expected, but it was an enthusiastic meeting, nevertheless. thusiastic meeting, nevertheless.

The Reverend W. D. Bradheld read the devotional servicer. H. H. Hodgdon, treasurer of the union, read his annual report. S. S. May read a report containing statistics of the schools, teachers and scholars in the city. There are 25 Sunday schools, 4912 teachers and 30011 scholars. C. D. Butler, president of the House-to-House Visitation Committee, read a partial report of the work of that committee. He stated that of 123 precincts 113 had been visited.

Christian Churches to Hold Simult neous Meetings in the Fall.

At the session yesterday morning of the St. Louis ministers of the Christian Church, it was decided to hold simultaneous meetings in the churches of the denomination throughout the city next fall. A moon meeting will be held in some large hall downtown and a special meeting will be held on Sunday.

The Reverend George A. Hoffman, for many years one of the stockholders, and business manager of the Christian Evangelist, resigned yesterday and will become president of the Maplewood Bank to-day. It is thought that he will be succeeded by the Reverend George Snively, secretary of the Benevolent Association of the church.

A reception in honor of the Reverend Dector Bradley, the new paster of St. John's M. E. Church, South, will be held at the church this evening. At the meeting of ministers of the M. E. Church, South, yesterday, the Reverend Doctor Arthur Mather read a paper on "Presching That Telle."

A mass meeting of the St. Louis Christian Phileaver Union will be held at Lucas Avenue Comberland Presbyterian Church this evening.

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# **BECAUSE OF BACK TAXES.**

Judge Moore Holds That John Fred rich Must Serve. Though His Pay Goro to Tax Bille.

"I haven't paid my taxes, Judge, I can't serve as a juror"
Such was the explanation offered in the Court of Criminal Correction yesterday by Jehn Fridrich a contractor, living at No. 127. North Euclid avenue, when asked to give his reasons for wanting to be excused from service as a juror.

"Are you a tax dodger" querried Judge Hiram N. Moore, from the beach.

"Oh. no." quickly responded Fridrich. I am not a tax dodger. I intend to pay my taxes as soon as I can get an opportunity to do so; business has prevented me from paying them before now.

Interich also explained that he could not collect his fee for serving as a juror until his taxes were paid, but Judge Moore told him that his excuse was not sufficient to justify his being excused. Fridrich is now in the jury box

Loughito's Cafe. Seventh and Locust etc. A popular re-aurant for Christmas shoppers.

# ADMITS FORGING PAY CHECK.

Italian Arrested on Complaint of Wiggins Ferry Co.

Frank Meietle an Italian, was arrested yesterday by Special Officers August H. Desiey and William Stoops on a charge of furgery. Meletta is di years old and lives at Fourth and Poplar streets. Meletto admits his guilt.

Melette was arrested on complaint of Ed. admits his guilt.

Moletie was arrested on complaint of Edward R. Hines, assistant special agent for
the Terminals, who mays Reletic went to
the office of the Wiggins Perry Company
in East St. Lewin and representing himgolf to be Frank Lay, received Day's pay,
was in When Meletie went to the East fide office he was accompanied by an employe. Through the later it was learned who Moletic was and where he was "hanging out." Special Officers Declay and Strong went to Na. 28 South Pourth street for him. Heletic attempted to escape and was expurred after a chare.



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# SHOOTING IN SUIT

Doctor Pinckney French Seeks to Collect From Former Husband's Estate a Claim Against Physician Who Attended Her.

A portion of the process of the settle-ment was used by Mrs. O'Day in building the residence near Springfield. Mo., which say recently gave to the Visitation Order

of Nuns.

Doctor French's suit was begun five years ago in Justice Walker's court. Judgment was given in the Justice court against the O'Day estate, and an appeal was taken to the Circuit Court.

It is claimed in defense that Colone! O'Day, having made a handsome settlement on his wife, should not be held responsible for her debts.

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CARPENTERS BACK UP TYPOS. Litchfield Strike Threatens to

Spread to Surrounding Towns. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Litchfield, Ill., Dec. II.—The printers' strike inaugurated in this city lest Friday morning, when the compesitors and operators in the offices of the two daily papers, the News and Heraid, walked out for an elekt-hour day, instead of nine hours as heretofore, at the same escale of wages, is assuming serious proportions. The Carpenters' Union held a meeting and decided to boycott the two papers until an agreement is reached between the printers and the management. agreement is reached between the printers and the management.

The printers at Carlinville were induced to join the strikers of this city and walked out this morning.

Indications are that an effort will be made to extend the strike to all country shops in this section of the State. Job work in both shops here is at a standstill The editors are joining hands, and, with the assistance of two printers, are managing to get out the two papers under the most difficult circumstances.

The life or death of the Typographical Union in this city depends upon the outcome of the present strike, which promises to be a fight to a finish.

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payment plan gives you possession of an exquisite Diamond. Watch or other hand-some jeweled pleas upon the first small deposit—and you can arrange the balance of the payments to sait your own convenience, either monthly or weekly Open till 10 p. m. evenings until Christmas Loftle Brown of the payments of the payments to sait your own convenience, either monthly or weekly Open till 10 p. m. evenings until Christmas Loftle 10 p. m. evenings until Christman Loftis Bros. 2d ff. Carleton bldg. 6th and Olive. POLICE ARREST AN ACTOR.

Harry G. Pilcher's Wife Says He Abandoned Her.

Abandoned Her.

Harry G Pilcher, an actor, whose stage name is Hernard Kingston, was advested at No. 1389 Washington avenue yesterday afternoon upon complaint of his wife. Mellie Pilcher of Springfield, Mo., who charges that Pilcher abandoned her.

Pilcher will be taken to Springfield, Mo. October 7. 1866. He says that he left Springfield about two months ago, and that it was understood between him, and his wife that he would send for her about Christmas time. The actor was organizing a theatrical company, which was to have been known as the Kingston Confedy Company. The troupe was to have opened in Cape Girandrau next week.

Pilcher says he is confident that he can make a satisfactory adjustment of his troubles. He says he loves his wife and had no intention of deserting her.

Parker's Headache Powders Quickly cure headache, neuralgia and fover.

Stockman Killed by Train. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Clarboville, Mo., Dec. II.-W. P. Wine-treamer, @ years cid. a stockman, was street and metantly killed by a Missouri Pacific train here to-day.

# ECHO OF MRS. O'DAY FEARED FIGHT WILL MAFFITT TREA

Stronghold on Lost Creek and Slayer of Holliday Defles Arrest-Efforts at Peace Fail.

Trial of the suit of Doctor Pinckney Prench, who seeks to collect a claim of the State of Sta

hold.

Sheriff Ed Calishan has refused to go in pursuit or permit any of his deputies to make an attempt to arrest the men. William Holliday, father of the dead man, and two of his sons, came to town this morning and took charge of the body and removed it to their home in the county.

They would not listen to any appeal of their friends or friends of the Noble faction for neace, and it is feared to-night that further bloosished will follow.

New Location-Nahilk & Bree Tailors, 210 Equitable building.

### DENEEN MAKES APPOINTMENT George B. Kleinman of Chicago Is State Fish Warden.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Springfield, Ill., Dec. 11.—Governor Defollows:
George B. Kleinman of Chicago to be
State Fish Warden.
John L. King of Springfield, reappointed
Public Administrator of Sangamon

County.

Miles S. Gilbert, to be Public Adminis-trator and Public Guardian of Alexander John G. Pettys to be Public Adminis- (Catalogue free.) Broadway, cor. Locust w. S. Scott to be Public Administrator of Grundy County.
W. S. Scott to be Public Administrator of Christian County.
William P. Miller to be Public Administrator and Public Guardian of Douglas County.
William Kasten to be Public Guardien of Phyette County.
George E. Kessier to be Public Administrator of Ford County.
Herbert S. Shearer, editor of the Parm.
Field and Fireside, to be delegate to the Farmers' National Congress at Rock Island next year.

When You Go to New York Den't fail to call at 600 Fifth avenue fetween 26th and 27th streets), Mermod, Jaccard & King's beautiful new miles-

## HEELS GROUND OFF HIS SHOES Brakeman Has Narrow Escape at

Pana, Ill.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Pana III. Dec. II.—Frank Clements a brakeman, was seriously injured in a wreek in the Illinois central yards here last night, in which three cars were defolished. Clements was standing on top of the Clements was standing on top of the train when it was backing un to couple to come cars when the sir brake failed to work and crashed into the cars, three of which went up in the sir.

The heels on Clements's shoes were ground off as he statted to sump from the car. Traine was impeded for some time. Clements was sent to his home in Decature. Decatur

Great Selection Scal Rings at Drusten's, Seventh and Locust streets

### MARRIED TO HIS STEPMOTHER. Kentucky Couple Are Wedded at Cairo, Ill.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Cairo, Bil. Dec. II.—Mr. James W. Dar-den and Mrs. Lissie E. Watwood of Wick-liffe, Kr., were married at the Courthouse here to-day by Judge Dewey. The bride in the stepmether of the groom, her first husband having been the father of Darden, who is her third hus-band.

Members of the Western Slove Manufacturers' Association began to arrive at the Southern Hotel yesterday for the monthly meeting. Little business was done yesterday as all the members had not arrived.

Noble Faction Departs for Trust Company Elects Directors and Officers and Declares Four Per Cent Dividend, Amounting to \$120,000.

ITALIAN WOMEN IN PRISON Warrants Charging Shoplifting

Will Be Issued To-Day. Mrs. Rocco Genechino and Mrs. Fran-ces Sorriss. Italian women, who are un-able to speak English, are held by the po-lice pending the issuance of a warrant charging them with theft in the Grand-leader store. The woman were arrested in the store yesterday afternoon at the instance of Fred Kicker, the house de-tective.

instance of Fred Kicker, the house detective.

Police officers went to the home of the women at No. Illing North Ninth street, and found a vast quantity of dry goods, part of which officials of the Grand-Leader Identified as their property. A great deal of property awaits identification.

Among the articles found in possession of the women are sik muffers, ladies' stocks, ladies' collars, several roll of embroidery, silk and sateen remnants, several bolts of linen and dress goods.

Pirthmenth Rings 42.35 and Cp. Turquoise, December birthstone, in solid gold mountings complete assortment. AT MERMOD, JACCARD & KINGS,

# SAYS CHINESE SEEK REVENGE

Joe Yung Arrested on Charge of Violating Exclusion Law.

Joe Yung, a Chinese laundryman, of No. 34% Olive street, was arrested by J. J. Williams, United States Deputy Marshal, yesterday afternoon on a charge of violating the Chinese exclusion act. His preliminary hearing was set for next Tuesday. Jeu Hang Lee, a Chinese tea merchant, said yesterday that he would give bond for Yung when it had been fixed. Nung told the Federal authorities that hig arrest was caused by revenge on the part of several Chinese gambiers against whom he testified when they were ar-raigned in the City Hall Police Court two weeks ago on a charge of playing fan-tan He says he is 26 years old.

## TWELVE-YEAR-OLD BOY GROUND TO DEATH BY CAR

Robert Lemmon to Killed Instantly While Younger Brother Looks On at Broadway and Corneline. Robert Lemmon, 12 years old, was instantly killed by a northbound Broadway car at Cornelius street last night.

The boy, who lives at No. CIS North Main street, had alighted from a southbound car, and started across the street when he was struck by the other car, in charge of Moterman Fred Wintuska of No. ES North Ninth street.

The boy was ground to piecea His Hyear-old brother, Sterling Lemmon, was directly behind him when the accident occurred, and witnessed the tragedy.

The body was taken to the morgue.

To Discuss Bridge Bond Inc I. C. Irvine will address the St. Louis Retail Grocers' Association on the pro-posed bridge bond issue this evening at their regular meeting. A report will also be made on the trading stamp war, and it is expected there will be a large num-ber of the members present.

Stationery for Imaa Gifts. 100 sheets "Linen Lawn" Writing Paper. envelopes to match, in fancy box, 8; other styles, \$1 to \$12 hos, at MERMOD, JACCARD & KINGS. (Mail orders filled.) Broadway, cor. Locust.

Borth Side Boolson Men Meet.

The regular meeting of the North St. Louis Studiess Men's Association will be held on Thursday evening at the North St. Louis Turner Hall. Several important mattern, it is said, will come up for dis-

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## FRED HASHAGEN FILES PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.

Proprietor of Dance Hall and Ga den is Sued-Linbillities \$35,566 and Assets \$5,875.

Fred W. Hashagen, manager of Hashagen's Auditorium at Broadway and Lami street, vesterday filed a petition in voluntary bankrutney in the United States District Court. His liabilities were scheduled at 35.50.17, and his assets at 5.575.

Of forty-nine creditors named in the petition, the Home Brewing Company was the largest claimant. The petition stated that a holier and dynamo, besides many other articles, were purchased from the brewing company, aggregating more than \$13.680.

bishop Chapella, who succumbed to yellow fever, will convene Wednesday evening. Members of the council are already arriving. Owing to the serious filmens of Blahop Fitngerald of Little Reck, Bishop N. A. Gallagher of Galvacton will preside, as he is serior member after Fitngerald. Bishop Gallagher arrived this morning, and is the guest of Canon Scotti at the Archbishop's paince. Bishop Edward J. Dunn of Duline is here. Bishop Edward J. Dunn of Duline is here. Bishop T. Meerschasts of Oktahoma is the guest of former Mayor Gapdovielle.

A solemn requirem mass will be chanted at the Cathedral Wednesday morning, immediately following which the council will consider those proposed as Chapelle's successor. hrewing company, aggregating more than \$19.600.

Hashagen's Auditorium is known as a dance hall and garden. It has been in existence for three years.

The Home Brewing Company filed suft in the Circuit Court yesterday against Frederick W. and Henry Hashagen for possession of saloon fixtures and other property on the premises at Breadway and Lami street, valued at \$4.000. Deputy Sheriff W. Budde took possession of the property yesterday afternoon and placed a watchman in charge.

The property consists of two bar counters and appurtenances, three beer coolers, mirror, boiler, dynamo, electric lighting appliances, wood and glass partition, plumbing pipes and tables and chairs.

field and Fountain Pros Por Xmas Gifta. Fountain pens in gold, silver and plain holders. H. & up. Gold pens, pencils, etc. Colby's, 186 North Fourth, opp. Planters' Hetel.

**FACE AND HANDS BURNED** BY A KETTLE OF TAR

Pire Peliows Accident, as Conrad Schildreth, the Victim, is Moved to City Hospital.

Conrath Schildroth, 52 years old, of No. 118 Hancock street. St. Louis County, was seriously burned about the face and hands yesterday, when a kettle of tar, which he was removing from a stove at No. 2028. Minnesota avenue, overturned. He is at the City Hospital.

When the tar was spilled it became ignited and set five to the one-story kitches at that address and the fire department had to be called. The building was damaged to the extent of \$75 and the household effects, \$10. The house is owned by Charles E. Sayers, a grocer, in the rear of whose place the accident occurred.

BISHOPS TO MEET IN COUNCIL Successor to Archbishop Chapelle to Be Chosen Wednesday. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

New Orleans, La., Dec. II.—The Provincial Council of Bishops and Priests, called to select a successor to the late Arch-

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Farmer's Union President Resigns REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Shawnos, Ok., Dec. 11.—R O. Dawes, president of the Indishoma Farmers Union of Oklahoma and Indian Territories, resigned to-day to become a lecturer for the national organization. He is succeeded by J. P. Conners of Canadian, I. T. The union he a powerful one, comprising MASS members.

In the Month, C. Fragan, Pale in the

r. R. Rice Mercantile Cigar Co.